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Patent application of: Murata et al.

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR USING AN OUTPUT TRANSFORMER FOR  
PACKAGED LASER DIODE DRIVERS

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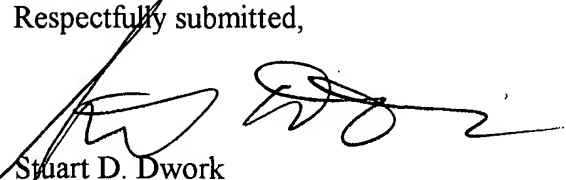
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